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FOR HAMPTON DAVIS S/CPR, AND CU/AF

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TAGS: OEXC, AFSP, IV

SUBJ: I-V VISIT OF JEAN-MARIE AGNINI BILE MALAN

REF: ABIDJAN 4499

1. BILE MALAN, WHO HAS INDICATED AN INTEREST IN MEETING DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS HANDLING ADMINISTRATIVE AND CONSULAR AFFAIRS, IS THE DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATIVE AND CONSULAR AFFAIRS AT THE FOREIGN OFFICE. AS SUCH HE HAS CONSIDERABLE INFLUENCE ON THE PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES ACCORDED TO THIS MISSION AND ITS PERSONNEL.

2. WE URGE THEREFORE THAT HAMPTON DAVIS MAKE A SPECIAL EFFORT TO EXPLAIN TO BILE MALAN THE PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES WHICH WE GRANT TO DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS, AND TO GIVE BILE MALAN COPIES OF THE CIRCULAR NOTES TO FOREIGN MISSIONS WHICH EXPLAIN TO THEM THEIR PRIVILEGES AND HOW TO OBTAIN THEM.

3. FYI: GOVERNMENT OF IVORY COAST LIMITS PRIVILEGES TO "BLUE LISTS" OFFICERS. THEY HAVE NO "WHITE LIST" OF NONDIPLOMATIC MEMBERS OF THE MISSION AND GRANT ALL BUT "DIPLOMATIC AGENTS" ONLY INITIAL ENTRY - WHICH IS NOT SUPPOSED TO CONTAIN CONSUMABLES. END FYI
THEREFORE, WE HOPE YOU WILL EMPHASIZE PRIVILEGES GRANTED TO "WHITE LIST" MEMBERS OF MISSIONS.

4. WE HOPE SOME DAY TO INDUCE GOIC TO GRANT TAX EXEMPT CARDS SIMILAR TO OURS. THEREFORE REQUEST BILE MALAN BE GIVEN SAMPLE
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OF TAX FREE CARD AND EXPLAIN HOW IT IS USED.

5. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE REPORT OF BILE MALAN'S REACTIONS.
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